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TAGS: MPOL, NATO, US

SUBJECT: US FY-79 DEFENSE POSTURE STATEMENT

REF: USNATO 2110, DTG 011540Z MAR 78

TEXT OF LETTER PROPOSED REFTEL IS ACCEPTABLE WITH THE
FOLLOWING CHANGES:

A. SUBSTITUTE THE WORDS QUOTE TRENDS IN THE UNQUOTE
FOR EXISTING WORDS QUOTE INCREASINGLY PRECARIOUS UNQUOTE
IN LEAD-IN PARAGRAPH OF THE PROPOSED LETTER.

B. RECOMMEND DELETION OF THE TICK HIGHLIGHTING TOTAL
OBLIGATIONAL AUTHORITY. WHILE AN ACKNOWLEDGED PART OF THE
SECDEF REPORT, IT MAY NOT BE A WELL-UNDERSTOOD TERM IN
NATO AND COULD PROMPT MORE DISCUSSION THAN HIGHLIGHTING
IT WARRANTS.
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C. THE WORDS QUOTE INCLUDING DRAGON UNQUOTE SHOULD BE
ADDED PARENTHETICALLY AFTER THE FIGURE 24,000 IN THE
SECOND TICK UNDER THE SIGNIFICANT INITIATIVES.

D. IN THE FOURTH TICK UNDER THE EXAMPLE INITIATIVES,
SUBSTITUTE QUOTE WE ARE INCREASING UNQUOTE FOR EXISTING

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WORDS QUOTE BY OCTOBER 1979, WE WILL HAVE INCREASED UNQTE
AND CHANGE QUOTE ADDED UNQUOTE TO QUOTE ADDING UNQUOTE
AND QUOTE RAISED UNQUOTE TO QUOTE RAISING UNQUOTE.
REASON: TO ACCOUNT FOR THE FACT THAT SOME OF THE
INCREASES (MANNING) HAVE ALREADY OCCURRED.

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